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A TERRIBLE CASE OF ECZEMA

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Mrs. E. Wyatt, of Fort Road, West Hindmarsh, So. Australia, writes of the sad condition of her little daughter, whose portrait she also sends:



"My daughter was afflicted with Eczema of the most aggravated type. The disease first appeared in eruptions on her head, then her hair began to fall out, and in spite of the best medical advice and treatment she grew steadily worse. The sores were full of matter and were extremely offensive. Her eyes became affected, and she was, in truth, in a terrible state. My neighbors were very sympathetic and took great interest in the case. They persuaded me to try Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and I am most thankful to be able to say that this wonderful medicine completely restored my daughter's health. She has now as good a head of hair as anyone could wish, her eyes are perfectly well, and she is a fine girl of eight years with every prospect of growing up to be a strong and healthy woman."

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DOINGS IN POLICE COURT

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL RAISES A STORM CENTER.

Warm Contest Between Prosecution and Defense in Opium Case—Miscellaneous Matters.

In the police court this morning a nolle prosequi relieved Yong Poon from the necessity of defending himself on the charge of opium in possession, and he was similarly fortunate respecting the charge of breaking the gaming laws. Five other Chinese were let off by the prosecution on the latter charge.

Yong Tuck and Yong Chong, for having chefa tickets in possession, pleaded guilty and were each fined \$30 and costs. A native was let off for profanity but fined for drunkenness.

The cases of S. Lowden and A. L. Morris, charged with smuggling opium, were called. Attorney General Smith appeared in person to prosecute, and Thurston & Stanley and G. A. Davis for the defense.

The Attorney General wanted to have both cases tried together, but was strenuously opposed by counsel for the defendants. The argument was long and quite warm on either side.

Judge de la Vergne decided that the cases should be tried separately, whereupon the Attorney General moved for a postponement. He had prepared to prosecute the defendants together, and therefore was not properly equipped for making out the Government's case against each apart. Mr. Smith further intimated a possibility that the Republic might endeavor to have the cases tried before another tribunal than that of the District Magistrate, on whose calendar they now appeared.

Mr. Thurston strongly opposed the postponement, but the Judge set the trial for tomorrow.

Delinquent taxpayers are before the court this afternoon.

Information for Tourists.

A passenger by the last Colonial steamer was met on the dock by a Milesian American friend, who resides in Honolulu. As the pair waited to have the newcomer's gripsack scrawled over with chalk marks by the Customs Inspector at the gate the stranger remarked to his friend "Do you 'ave much rain 'ere?" RAINIER me boy, gallons of it, just come up to the Anchor Saloon where they keep it always, clear and cool. We'll just be in time for lunch too and that's the only place in town where they serve it up in proper style with a glass of RAINIER BEER to equilibrialize the solids—They went!

Triple Birthday.

Caretaker Greene had the pleasure of decorating three desks in the Interior office with flowers on this date. They were those of Minister J. A. King, Chief Clerk J. A. Hassinger and Clerk Edward Boyd, who each passes a milestone in the journey of life this morning. The Commissioner of Census was not interviewed about the figures, but a good guess would be 63, 59 and 26 years respectively, in the above order of names. Triple-plated congratulations are tendered the gentlemen by the BULLETIN.

Fit Promotion.

An executive session of the Queen's Hospital Trustees was held this morning. Under the new charter President Dole has appointed Mr. F. A. Schaefer as vice president of the corporation, he himself being the permanent president, as the sovereign was under the monarchy. Mr. Schaefer has been for many years the faithful secretary of the trust. His successor as such will be elected at the annual meeting in January.

THE GREAT UNKNOWN

ANOTHER FINE COMEDY BY THE FRAWLEY COMPANY.

One of the Largest Houses of the Season Witness a Splendid Performance—Cast of Characters.

Last night the Frawley Company produced the well-known comedy of "The Great Unknown." This piece, which has been so successful in the United States, is on adaptation by Augustin Daly of a German farce. The central idea is that of a woman who neglects her family to become a great literary light, and the play is taken up with showing how they might go to ruin without her guidance, and also in convincing her that her first duty is at home.

The plot is nonsensical, hilariously direct and uncompromisingly comical and its development furnishes abundant amusement for the audience.

The company was at its best in this production and the piece was generally voted one of the most successful yet produced by this talented organization.

Following is the cast of characters:

Mr. Jeremiah Jarraway, rather a large-sized Mouse, likewise a somewhat full grown Moth, but offering a lively illustration of two familiar fables.
..... Mr. Harry Corson Clarke Ned Dreamer, "Cousin Ned," who went away a Methuselah and returns "a Daisy."
..... Mr. Frank Worthing The O'Donnell Don, with a proverb for every occasion.
..... Mr. T. Daniel Frawley Tom Provide, in the musical line, with a penchant for his pupils.
..... Mr. Geo. W. Leslie Patrick, an indispensable in the Jarraway household.
..... Mr. Wilson Enos Twitters, mentor and guide to the demiselles Jarraway.
..... Mr. George Bosworth Elna, "Lusus Naturae," combination of mouse and puss, no other specimen known to exist.
..... Miss Blanche L. Bates Pansy, her sister. Miss Hope Ross Mrs. Arabella Jarraway, the feline article of the proverb, who returns in season to catch the frolicking rodents.
..... Miss Madge Carr Cook Aunt Penelope, a protecting angel as well as an avenging spirit, and taking a deal of enjoyment out of both.
..... Miss Phosha McAllister Shirley Munkittrick, her niece, a young widow with histrionic aspirations. Miss Lansing Rowan Mlle. Agathe, Arabella's companion.
..... Miss Alice Pixley

NEW TRIAL REFUSED.

Powers of a Jury Defined in a Certain Case.

Judge Carter has filed a written decision overruling the motion of defendant for a new trial, in the case of Joseph R. Antone vs. Richard Antone, who bear the relation of son and father to each other. A verdict in favor of plaintiff for \$189 was rendered, for cattle wrongfully converted to cash. The Judge holds that, "In an action of tort, where the wrong complained of is proven, and the minimum and maximum of value of a class or kind of property is given, the jury are at liberty to assess the damages at the maximum figure provided there is no more definite evidence of value." G. A. Davis for plaintiff; Cecil Brown for defendant.

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THE COFFEE SITUATION

PERIOD OF LOW PRICES PRE-FIGURED BY EXPERTS.

High Prices Have Enormously Stimulated Production—Deductions from the Crossman's Report.

The following article from the American Grocer of recent date is submitted to the Hawaiian coffee guild:

The crop of 1896-97 is a demonstration of the extent to which a period of high prices has stimulated production. The area devoted to coffee has been rapidly extended in Brazil, in Central America, United States of Colombia, Venezuela and Mexico. Coffee-growing is a profitable industry when coffee sells in New York at prices considerably below a basis of 10¢ cents for No. 7 Rio. At the prices of the past five years planters have been receiving enormous profits.

It is apparent that we have entered a period of low cost. A decline has taken place of over 5 cents per pound in the cost of Brazil sorts, and the question is whether this fall in the price has fully discounted a supply largely in excess of the world's requirements. The answer will be found in the estimated outturn of the 1897-98 crop. If that is up to or above the average supply, then there is a chance for lower prices. If the next crop is to be light in Brazil, it would seem as if the present basis was near bottom.

Messrs. W. H. Crossman & Brother are very close students of the coffee markets of the world, and show their faith by their works, and generally take the public into their confidence by issuing a circular giving their views. This they have again done under date of October 23, estimating an enormous crop in Brazil for 1896-97, viz., a total export of not less than 8,000,000 bags. This is a total far beyond the yearly average for seven years, ending June 30, 1896, of 5,657,286 bags (332,781 tons). In 1891-92 Brazil exported 7,267,000 bags, and it is certainly not unreasonable to estimate that the exports from the largest yield on record should exceed the shipments of 1891-92 to the extent of 733,000 bags. Brazil has furnished 54 per cent. of the world's supply. On that basis the crops of 1896-97 will aggregate 14,814,800 bags. Crossman & Co. estimate the total crops at 14,000,000 bags, based on a minimum Brazil yield of 8,000,000 and 6,000,000 for other countries, or about 500,000 bags above the average crops of the past three years. The total deliveries in Europe and the United States for five crop years ending June 30, 1896, were 54,677,976 bags, or a yearly average of 10,935,595 bags.

Hard times curtail the use of coffee, especially if prices rule high. There has been no increase in the deliveries of coffee worthy of note since the advent of high prices, as the following table of deliveries in Europe and the United States shows:

YEAR.	BAGS.
1895-96.....	11,142,813
1894-95.....	11,212,851
1893-94.....	10,571,553
1892-93.....	10,946,228
1891-92.....	10,804,551

Total five years.. 54,677,976
Yearly average (643,270 tons)..... 10,935,595

The above shows the steady nature of the world's requirements, which is subject to other than crop influences. Hard times and high cost cut down the demand. With a return of prosperity, the United States should increase its consumption of coffee at least 400,000 bags. Last year the deliveries fell below 1894-95 here and in Europe, but to slight ex-

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KINDERGARTEN MEETING

PROCEEDINGS AT EMMA HALL THIS MORNING.

The Palama Kindergarten to be Opened Next Week—Some Donations and New Members.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the Free Kindergarten Association took place at Queen Emma hall this morning at 10 o'clock, and much interest was manifested in its affairs by those present.

A donation of \$250 from Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cooke was reported, together with one of \$10 from Mr. Montague, and the thanks of the board voted therefor.

The secretary stated that since the last annual meeting, held in October, seventeen persons had joined the association as annual members. Anyone can become an annual member upon payment of the usual subscription.

The special committee appointed to prepare a suitable memorial to the government in the matter of the proposed new park at Palama reported that the same had been duly forwarded and a reply received that the subject would receive consideration as soon as possible.

The matter of furnishing the new Palama Kindergarten, brought up for discussion by Mrs. Wm. G. Irwin, was arranged for and the school will be opened next week.

During the morning Miss Lawrence gave a very interesting talk on methods of Kindergarten work.

Among those who were present at the meeting were Mrs. S. B. Dole and Miss Hopper, who have lately returned from an extended absence.

"All the Comforts of Home."

The attraction for the matinee of the Frawley company at the opera house tomorrow afternoon is "All the Comforts of Home," which, as everyone who has had the good fortune to see it will testify, is—funny—very funny, and fairly revels in those ludicrously absurd and amusing situations and sterling complications with which every comedy written or adapted by Gillette abounds. The story wherein an impecunious nephew is by a jealous uncle left in charge of a palatial residence while the uncle is traveling on the continent, and which residence is by the aforesaid nephew advertised to let, with "all the comforts of home," and rented to all sorts and conditions of odd people, is as simple as the rule of three. But the fast and furious fun that arises therefrom and the love-making engendered thereby keep the audience either in hearty laughter or amused expectancy as to what will come next.

Term Expenses.

The expenses of the First Circuit Court term just ended were as follows:

Paid Hawaiian jurors.....	600 00
Paid Foreign jurors.....	490 00
Expenses murder trial.....	183 00
Interpreters and stenographers.....	79 75

Total.....\$1352 75

The last item does not include \$50 for interpreter in the murder trial, that being merged in the previous item.

Grand Jury Officers.

Geo. W. De Long Post, G. A. R., held its annual meeting last night, electing the following officers:

P. C., R. J. Greene.
S. V., John N. Wright.
J. V., Sam McKeague.
O. D., W. F. Williams.
Quartermaster, W. L. Eaton.
Chaplain, Wm. McCandless.
Surgeon, N. B. Emerson.
Officer of the Guard, Urband Conkling.

DEPARTURE OF EX-QUEEN

TAKES PASSAGE IN STEAMSHIP CHINA FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

Great Surprise to Honolulu This Morning—Probably Gone to Meet Kaulani.

Until ex-Queen Liliuokalani ascended the gangway of the Pacific Mail steamship China, fifteen minutes before that vessel sailed for San Francisco this morning, probably not more than a baker's dozen of the inhabitants of this fair capital knew anything about that lady's intended journey. Never has a secret of such interest been better kept in Honolulu. From different persons in position to know the ex-Queen's intentions, it is learned that she has had a foreign tour in her desires for several months past. One informant had it that Liliuokalani was going to seek change of air and scene at Oakland, California, and possibly leave the Golden Gate afterward for the lovely shores of Tahiti before returning home.

Mr. J. O. Carter applied at the Custom House for three passports at ten minutes past nine this morning, handing in the names to be inserted therein as H. M. Liliuokalani, Joseph Heleluhe and Mrs. Kia Nahaoleluna. He had engaged berths in blank for the party some days ago, and yesterday afternoon handed Mr. Suhr of H. Hackfeld & Co., agents of the line, a memorandum of the names. Mr. Heleluhe has been the business agent of the ex-Queen, and Mrs. Nahaoleluna is one of her near lady friends.

Liliuokalani drove to the steamer in a hack, having first called on President Dole, it is believed out of courtesy and to thank him for the full pardon under which she was granted entire personal freedom of movement.

A few minutes before the steamer left, Major Potter, secretary of the Foreign Office, arrived and presented Liliuokalani with three Foreign Office passports, which she courteously accepted.

Hon. Samuel Parker went out in the pilot boat to see the ex-Queen off, and wish her a final godspeed on her journey.

All sorts of rumors were evolved from the surprised imaginations of the populace, as to the object of the journey of the distinguished voyager. One was that she was going on a secret mission for the Government. This ridiculous surmise has its quietus in the fact that nobody was more taken by surprise by the news than the members of the Executive. Another curbstone theory was that Liliuokalani had a commission to, in some unexplained way, settle the Japanese question. What approached the zone of rational thought was that the deposed sovereign of Hawaii was going to make a last appeal to President Cleveland to restore her sovereignty.

What was the most readily accepted opinion of intelligent people was that Liliuokalani went away to meet her niece Kaulani, under the monarchy her constitutional successor to the throne. Where that young lady is at present is not discovered with certainty, and possibly her aunt's quest of her may extend to England or the continent.

At all events the ex-Queen is gone from the scenes of her former dominion, and the BULLETIN wishes her health and enjoyment and a safe return.

DON'T FORGET—Ushers T. V. F. "The Very Finest" whiskey ever imported to the Island is now on sale at the ROYAL ANNEX. It's Scotch and it's A1.

"All the Comforts of Home," an exceedingly funny comedy, is the attraction for the matinee tomorrow afternoon.